



Field samples for PCB off-gassing tests

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Malcolm:

My name is Zhishi Guo. I am a Senior Scientist at the U.S. EPA National Risk Management Research Laboratory, and the Team Leader of an on-going study on PCB source characterization and evaluation of mitigation methods. We have recently asked EPA Region 1 to help us obtain a few field samples for testing of PCB off-gassing under laboratory conditions. The purpose is to characterize the PCB sources to better understand how PCBs transport and distribute in contaminated buildings.

We have learned from Kim Tisa that you can provide us with several caulk samples. If possible, we would like to receive **one exterior caulk and two interior caulk**. The procedure for collecting and transporting the samples is provided in the first attachment. Section 2.1 is for collecting caulk. Please read Section 1 carefully about revealing the exact sampling locations.

We thank you for helping us. Please let me know if you have any questions.



Sampling procedure for R1-v1b.pdf



Sample Collection Custody Record.pdf



Sample Shipping Custody Record.pdf

Best regards,

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